

HA-324

ca. 1890

Smith-Troutman House
2017 Trappe Church Road
Darlington, MD
Private

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

Smith-Troutman House

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

2017 Trappe Church Road

CITY, TOWN

Darlington

☒ VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

1st

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Harford

3 CLASSIFICATION**CATEGORY**

☐ DISTRICT
☒ BUILDING(S)
☐ STRUCTURE
☐ SITE
☐ OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

☐ PUBLIC
☒ PRIVATE
☐ BOTH
PUBLIC ACQUISITION
☐ IN PROCESS
☐ BEING CONSIDERED
not applicable

STATUS

☒ OCCUPIED
☐ UNOCCUPIED
☐ WORK IN PROGRESS
ACCESSIBLE
☒ YES: RESTRICTED
☐ YES: UNRESTRICTED
☐ NO

PRESENT USE

☐ AGRICULTURE ☐ MUSEUM
☐ COMMERCIAL ☐ PARK
☐ EDUCATIONAL ☒ PRIVATE RESIDENCE
☐ ENTERTAINMENT ☐ RELIGIOUS
☐ GOVERNMENT ☐ SCIENTIFIC
☐ INDUSTRIAL ☐ TRANSPORTATION
☐ MILITARY ☐ OTHER

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Dr. & Mrs. Malcolm Dudley Phillips

Telephone #: 457-4781

STREET & NUMBER

2017 Trappe Church Road

CITY, TOWN

Darlington

VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code
MD 21034**5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

COURTHOUSE
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC

Harford County Courthouse

Liber #: 638

Folio #: 178

STREET & NUMBER

40 So. Main St.

CITY, TOWN

Bel Air

STATE
MD**6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS**

TITLE

DATE

☐ FEDERAL ☐ STATE ☐ COUNTY ☐ LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

CONDITION

☒ EXCELLENT

☐ GOOD

☐ FAIR

☐ DETERIORATED

☐ RUINS

☐ UNEXPOSED

CHECK ONE

☐ UNALTERED

☒ ALTERED

CHECK ONE

☒ ORIGINAL SITE

☐ MOVED

DATE _____

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Smith-Troutman House is a two story frame vernacular style house built about 1890 and located on the south side of Trappe Church Road about two-tenths of a mile west of the intersection with Darlington Road (Md. Route 161) near Darlington, Harford County, Maryland. The main elevation faces north.

The main section of the house is an irregularly shaped block roughly rectangular in shape. On the main elevation a one-story porch has been enclosed and a one story garage extension added to the east elevation. A third modern extension adjoins the south elevation. The upper floor and roof of the main section retain the original shingled exterior and perforated and sunburst brackets. The gables have an overlay of board trim derived from the ornamentation of the Stick style. The pattern is enhanced by the blue painted shingles and white boards and trim. The fenestration has been mostly replaced by modern sash, but a few "Queen Anne" style windows remain in the upper floor.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

8 SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD	AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW				
REHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY: local history	
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION			

SPECIFIC DATES ca. 1890

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

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The land on which the house stands was part of the Westacre tract and was at different times owned by both D.C. Wharton Smith, Courtauld Smith, and Maria Troutman, all of whom owned Westacre at different times at the turn of the century. It is unclear at this time who actually built the house.

Note: Survey number HA-324 was originally assigned to the Winstone Coachman's House. Information on that building is consolidated under HA-323 (Winstone).

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9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY _____

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE _____ COUNTY _____

STATE _____ COUNTY _____

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

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ORGANIZATION

Harford County Department of Planning & Zoning

DATE

March 1983

STREET & NUMBER

45 South Main Street

TELEPHONE

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CITY OR TOWN

Bel Air

STATE

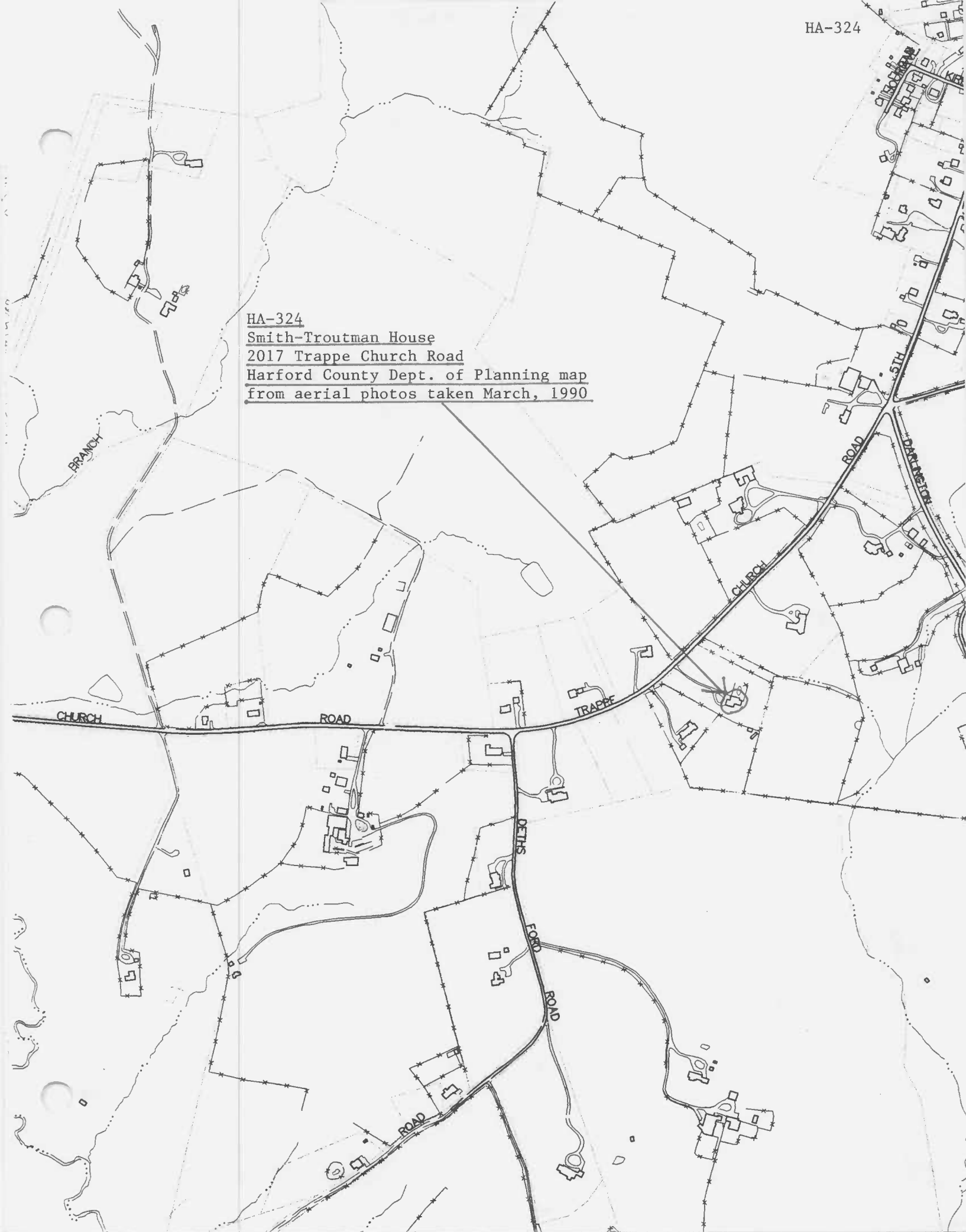
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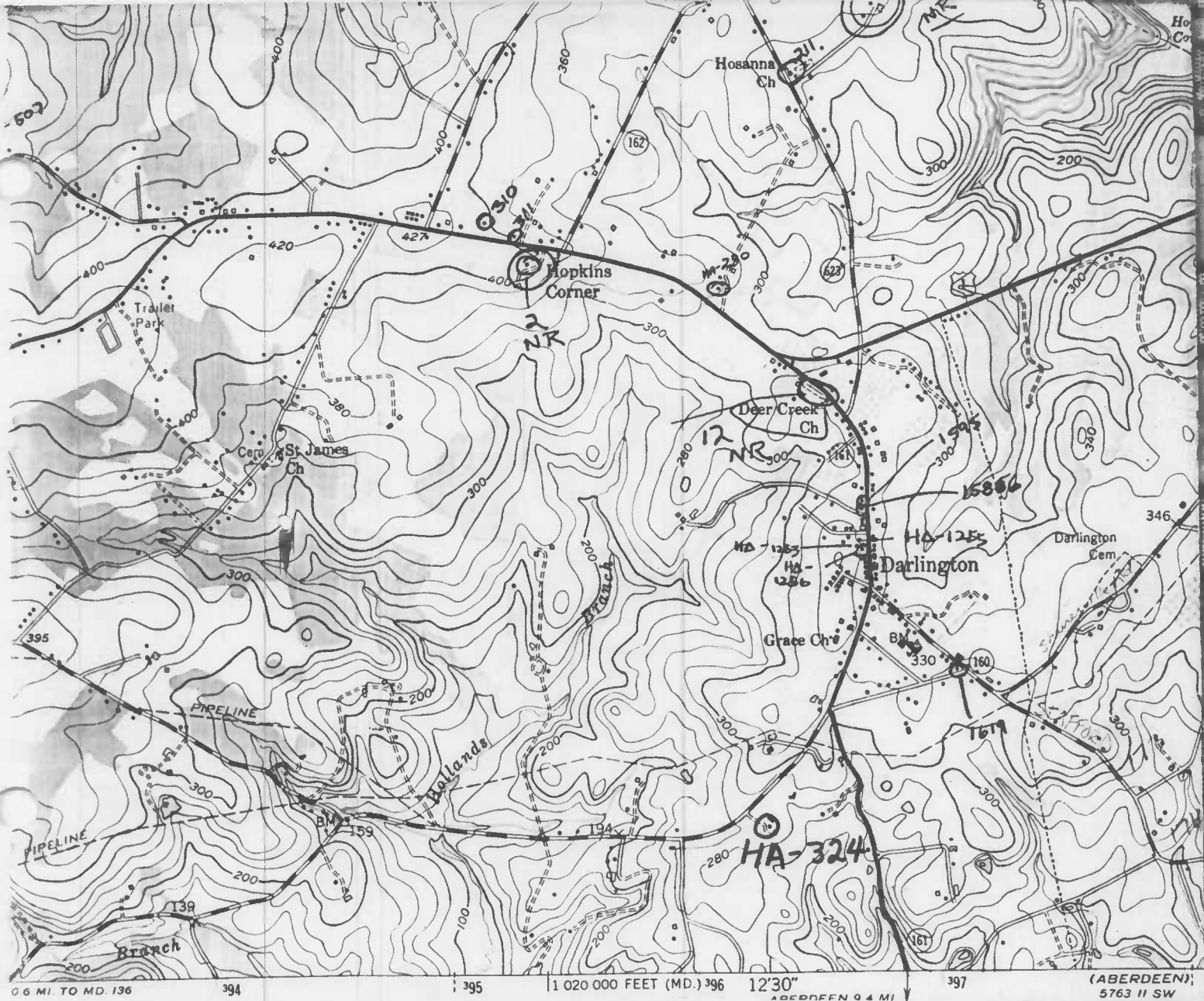
The Maryland Historic Sites Inventory was officially created by an Act of the Maryland Legislature, to be found in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 Supplement.

The Survey and Inventory are being prepared for information and record purposes only and do not constitute any infringement of individual property rights.

RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust
The Shaw House, 21 State Circle
Annapolis, Maryland 21401
(301) 267-1438

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Smith-Troutman House
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Harford County Dept. of Planning map
from aerial photos taken March, 1990





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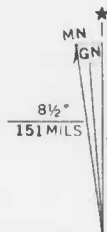
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Smith-Troutman House
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 USGS 7.5 minute series
 Conowingo Dam, Md.-Pa. Quadrangle
 Scale: 1:24000

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UTM GRID AND 1970 MAGNETIC NORTH
 DECLINATION AT CENTER OF SHEET

THIS MAP COMPLIES WITH NATION
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 A FOLDER DESCRIBING TOPOGRAPHIC MAPS



Smith-Troutman House

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March 1983

North elevation

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Smith-Troutman House
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West elevation
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